

Thrills & Chills!

2012

Dear Parent/Guardian and Thrills & Chills Participant;

Welcome to our Thrills & Chills Amusement Park week! We are looking forward to a great week. To ensure a fun and successful week, you should remember a few things.

Most activities are outside, so sunscreen is extremely important. In an effort to maintain your child's safety, please remember to apply and bring sun block and insect repellant on a daily basis. Please wear tennis shoes and bring a change of cloths. Due to the nature of the camp, your cloths will often get wet or dirty. Most activities are in parks that do not allow outside food in. Please plan on bringing money to buy lunch and on the longer days, dinner as well. We strongly encourage campers wear tennis shoes as they may spend a lot of time walking around the parks.

Every effort has been made to plan activities that fit into the schedule listed on the following page. However, when participating in outside activities, events may occur beyond our control, such as weather and traffic. If such events occur, there is a possibility that your child may arrive after the designated arrival time. In this case, the counselors will contact the Community Center, and we in turn will contact all of you at your home phone number. If you are concerned about your child's arrival time, please feel free to contact the Community Center at (703) 248-5027 to see if the camp has returned.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (703) 248-5307. We hope you will enjoy the various activities we have planned for your child.

Sincerely,

Amy Mallese, CPRP

Recreation Program Supervisor
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Thrills & Chills Amusement Park Week! August 13-17, 2012 383206-I 1 Bus 25 Campers

Date Aug. 13	Day Monday	Trip Six Flags America	Time 9am – 9pm
Aug. 14	Tuesday	Central Park Funland	9am – 5pm
Aug. 15	Wednesday	Kings Dominion	9am – 9pm
Aug. 16	Thursday	Splashdown	9am – 5pm
Aug. 17	Friday	Hershey Park	9am – 9pm

Items to bring on trips

Six Flags- Watch, sunscreen, and tennis shoes. Swim suit, towel and change of clothes are options should your camper choose to get wet. Lunch is included. Campers should still bring money for dinner on Monday.

Central Park Funland- Comfortable clothing. Swim suit and towel should your child want to participate in water wars. Two slices of pizza and a 12 ounce fountain drink will be included in this package.

Kings Dominion- Watch, sunscreen, and tennis shoes. Swim suit, towel and change of clothes are options should your camper choose to get wet. No outside food will be permitted into the park. Campers should bring money dinner. One meal voucher will be provided.

Splashdown - Please have a swimsuit, towel, water shoes and a change of clothes. For this trip you can either bring your own lunch or purchase lunch at the park. Campers bringing their own lunch will exit the park with staff to eat.

Hershey Park- Watch, sunscreen, and tennis shoes. Swim suit, towel and change of clothes are options should your camper choose to get wet. Lunch is included. Campers should still bring money for dinner.

*NOTE: Each day the campers should be dressed to be outside all day, have **sunscreen**, **raingear** and **insect repellant**. For water activities, campers will need to wear clothes that can get wet. Please bring a **change of clothes** every day. Activities are subject to change and may be substituted as a result of inclement weather.

Dear Parents/Guardians,

During camp this week, parents have the option of either allowing their child to travel throughout the parks in a group of four, checking in periodically with the counselors or requiring that they stay with a counselor for the entire day. Please indicate below what permissions you would like to allow for your child. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 703-248-5307.

MONDAY			
Six Flags America, Bowie, MD			
I give my child permission to travel with his/her friends throughout the park.			
My child must stay with an adult throughout the day at the park.			
TUESDAY			
Central Park Funland, Fredericksburg, VA			
I give my child permission to travel with his/her friends throughout the park.			
My child must stay with an adult throughout the day at the park.			
WEDNESDAY			
Kings Dominion, Doswell, VA			
I give my child permission to travel with his/her friends throughout the park.			
My child must stay with an adult throughout the day at the park.FRIDAY			
THURSDAY			
Splashdown, Manassas, VA			
I give my child permission to travel with his/her friends throughout the park.			
My child must stay with an adult throughout the day at the park.			
FRIDAY			
Hershey Park, Hershey, PA			
I give my child permission to travel with his/her friends throughout the park.			
My child must stay with an adult throughout the day at the park.			
Parent/Guardian Signature:			
Date:			
Date			
Thank you! -Amy Maltese			

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